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L to R: Sam Collier, Jenelle Blutz, Director of Nurses, and Elba General Administrator Jim Nichols.

New Heart Machine In Use

The new Cord monitor - Defibrillator, purchased by Dorsey Trailers, arrived at Elba General Hospital on January 6, 1978. After several tests were completed on the equipment, it was placed in service in the emergency room. Less than two hours later, the equipment was used to monitor a patient admitted to the emergency room with chest pains.

Police Report Active Week

The Elba police have been active during the past week, with a variety of activity. Fifteen minor accidents were investigated; ten cases were filed against juveniles, including four grand larceny, no driver's license, DWI, assault and battery, provocation, resisting arrest and VPL.

The VPL case on the youngster was at the Rec Center again when Officer Tyson arrested the youth in front of the Rec Center at 7:30 p.m. Saturday night with a cooler full and two 8 packs of beer.

Adult arrest included two DWI, two highway intoxication, driving while license revoked, petty larceny, no tag, provocation, speeding, no license, and reckless driving.

FIGHT WITH POLICE

Larry D. Powell, Rt. 3, Brantley, and a juvenile were arrested and charged with a host of offenses after an exchange with police officers, according to police reports.

Powell was charged with highway intoxication, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, provocation and carrying a concealed weapon. The youth was charged with DWI, Assault and Battery, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest and provocation. Officers said the youth was arrested, brought to the police station for a test on the drunk meter; Larry Powell came into the station and started a fight by first hitting one of the officers in the room.

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the left ankle and Williams in the lower left leg. Brunson went to the Elba Police Station and turned himself in. At press time he was in Coffee County Jail.

Elba Youth, Store Owner Shot Tuesday Night

A shooting after midnight Tuesday night resulted in the hospitalization of a Covington County store owner, an Elba teenager and the killing of another Elba youth.

Police report that Clarence Tyson was admitted to an Opp hospital with a gunshot wound in the stomach and a juvenile was admitted with a neck wound after one of the two youths shot Tyson in an apparent robbery attempt.

The story, pieced together by officers, is as follows: The two Elba youths slipped off in a pickup truck belonging to one of the youth's father. They broke into the office of Elba Attorney Gareth Lindsey and stole a shotgun and a pistol. This happened about 11:30 p.m. Then about 1:30 they went to the Tyson store between Elba and Opp with the intention of getting some beer and some gas.

Something happened, and one of the youths shot Tyson in the midsection. Tyson took the pistol away from him and shot the youth in the neck. The second youth ran from the scene and returned to Elba, went home and told his parents the story, including a confession of taking the family truck.

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Smelly Cows Topic Of Kinston Meet

The Kinston City Council met on Tuesday night, January 2, at City Hall, with all members present except Mayor Steve Hunko. Present at the meeting were Mayor Pro-Tem Dewey Adams and Council members Harold Rhodes, Houston Martin, Sara Bowden and Mickey Weeks.

Mayor Pro-Tem Adams called the meeting to order and the gathering was led in prayer by City Clerk Peggy Cain. Mrs. Cain read the minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved as read.

Mr. Fred Davis addressed the Council and complained that a neighbor had cows in a pen near his home. Mr. Davis told the Council the animals caused an odor problem and asked the members to do something about it. The Council told Davis the problem should be presented to the Health Department, but agreed to check into a City Ordinance concerning animals kept inside the city limits.

The Council discussed a budget it must adopt for the Water Department, but tabled further discussion on the matter until the next meeting.

The superintendents of the Water and Garbage Departments sent word they were seeking pay raises. The two employees will meet with the council at the next meeting to discuss the request.

The Council was informed that the City must begin paying for the use of the County landfill, and discussed the possibility of having to raise garbage fees to residents. The discussion was postponed until the next meeting.

The Council's next meeting, which should be busy due to the matters carried over from the previous meeting, will be held on January 16 at 7 p.m.

Utility Board Vows To Get Pipes Installed

The Elba Water and Electric Board met Tuesday evening with all members present. Chairman Charles Hayes presided over the routine meeting.

The Board discussed the need for some larger transformers in the Smith Avenue area. Bids on 25 units were discussed and the decision was to attempt getting them, five months at the same price - (about \$320 each).

A discussion was held about adjusting the water bill of John F. Bullard, who had a large jump in his bill while out of town in a Florida hospital, and later discovered a water leak.

The Board agreed to give him credit for 50% of the bill. Bullard had already paid the entire amount and the credit will go to further billings.

Bookkeeper Velma Lee submitted a letter of resignation and it was accepted with instructions that a letter of appreciation be written to Mrs. Lee. She cited the need to help her husband in his growing business as the reason for her resignation.

Mrs. Kathy Weeks was hired to replace Mrs. Lee. Mrs. Weeks had previously worked with the board but left just before her child was born.

A lengthy discussion on the need to complete several water related jobs resulted in the Board members agreeing to hire a backhoe operator and expedite the installation of 6,000 feet of water pipe and four water pressure valves.

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MANY NAMES REMOVED

Commissioners Hear Problems Of Voter Re-identification Project

The Coffee County Commission met on Monday, January 9, at the courthouse in Elba, with all members present. Present were Probate Judge James L. Sawyer and Commissioners Benie Beckham, Don Smith, Max Reeves, Rex Boutwell, Jack Hornsby and Gilmer Grant.

The commission's first visitor was Mrs. Quinzie Whitman, Chairman of the County Board of Registrars. Mrs. Whitman reported that the voter re-identification program in the county was a failure, and at the present time, more names have been removed from the list of qualified voters than have been left on. All voters, as dictated by law, must re-identify themselves as of January 1, 1977, or else their names will be removed from the list of eligible voters.

Mrs. Whitman stated that members of the Board of Registrars had spent a day in each beat in the county in an effort to re-identify voters, but added there was very little response.

Voters may re-identify by appearing before the Board when it is in session. It is not permitted to re-identify at the polls.

The Commission suggested a list of the names that have been removed be published in the paper, and Mrs. Whitman agreed with the proposal.

Judge Sawyer informed the Commission that the County had received a check for \$344.08 from the telephone company for overcharges at the old driving academy. After a discussion,

the Commission agreed to use the money to pay insurance premiums on the buildings at the new closed academy.

Upon the recommendation of Commissioner Gilmer Grant, the Commission voted to construct a voting house in Beat 19. Grant stated the

voting house was badly needed, and the Commission agreed to send out invitations for bids for construction of the structure.

County Engineer Leslie Mullins presented the Commission with an estimate from

GILMER GRANT

Head Seeks Collector's Office

Milfred Head has become one of the first people locally to publicly announce intentions to seek public office this year. Head informed this newspaper shortly after the holidays that he had made his decision to seek the office of Tax Collector for Coffee County.

the Alabama Power Company for installation of 25 power poles on the Sparks Road. The estimate was for \$18,657. The Commission balked at the high price, and discussed getting an estimate from a private contractor.

In other action, the Commission:

***Authorized Judge Sawyer and the Chief Clerk to attend the Probate Judge's Conference in Birmingham on January 19 and 20;

***Received a letter from Senator Bill King requesting the Commission to support a "Home Rule" bill he has pre-filed in the Senate;

***Received a request from an individual that he be allowed to purchase old lumber that was left when an old county building was torn down. The Commission decided to keep the lumber for later use;

***Authorized Mary Lunsford Secretary of County Civil Defense, to attend upcoming seminars in Mobile and Atlanta;

***Received pipe requests;

***Agreed to postpone opening bids on equipment for garbage pickup from January 16 to January 23; and

***Authorized Judge Sawyer to purchase an ad in a special edition of a local daily paper.

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ED COMPTON

December 6, 1977

Mr. John Wright
Law Enforcement Planning Agency
Region 7
P.O. Box 1316
Enterprise, Alabama 36330

RE: Request for input, 5 December 1977

Dear Mr. Wright:

The City of Elba will not participate in any further projects funded by IFRA, so no further input will be submitted from this city.

Sincerely,
Robert Folson
Robert Folson
Mayor
City of Elba, Alabama

Council Seeks Grants, Letters Cancel Efforts

This copy of a letter written by Mayor Robert Folson was presented to each city councilman and to this newspaper during the last few days. The letter was apparently written without the consent, knowledge or approval of the City Council. The organization headed up by the John Wright addressed here is the group that issues federal funds for improvement of police protection in American communities.

Some of these grants range up to 95% of the cost of police radios, cars, lab equipment, and at one time, additional police officers.

When questioned about the letter by this newspaper, Folson said he didn't know what it meant. He said he told the police chief to write a letter to Mr. Wright, Folson himself had signed this letter, but he didn't know anything about any

"input." He noted that he was having another letter written.

Unconfirmed rumors circulating with the above letter are that another letter concerning the same subject was mailed to state officials.

Members of the city council reportedly have asked Folson "Why did you do this?" The answer was lost in loud words about LEAA and LEPA and this means that and that Very little remains were obvious from the meetings.

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

The Alabama Senate declined to officially "pass" the last State of the State address by Governor Wallace on Tuesday night. It has never been heard of this happening before and don't even understand the reasons (except to assume they are definitely political). Whatever the ups and downs behind the move, it will give both sides something to talk about when everything else gets dull and shopworn.

An interesting thing in the Wallace report was the proposal for a \$200 million dollar bond issue for school construction. Usually, an incoming governor will propose such a bond issue, but this time Wallace is running for the U.S. Senate seat and apparently figures this will help him get votes for that race. Whatever the case, I hope we get our share when the splitting up starts. We still need some relief at the high school, and this just might be the relief we have been looking for lately.

The cold weather that has hit the entire nation this week is causing some problems. Several areas are having to cut back on the use of electricity. I wonder what would be our reaction to the high electric rates if we were sitting in the cold because the power company couldn't generate enough juice to warm us all? At that point we would probably agree to doubling the rates if it would get us warm.

Speaking of electric rates, get ready for a rate increase in both Elba and the rural areas. Alabama Power Company has received federal approval to up the wholesale rates, and since Alabama Electric (our supplier) buys some from APC, the increase will filter down to us also; but thankfully, it's as high as the increase to folks like Dothan which gets all their juice from APC.

I must be out of step with the world again. Had I been at the rock concert in Montgomery when all the searching was going on, yo ole editor would have been proud for the officers to say "this guy is okay." I don't bother me for state troopers to check my driver's license, and neither would it bother me for them to search me or my car for whiskey, pot or whatever.

Mayor Folsom and I had some words Monday night. After a community development hearing attended by the two of us, three councilmen, the city clerk and several other folks, Folsom told the clerk and councilmen he wanted to have a meeting with them. I stated it was illegal for them to meet and exclude the press. One thing told to another and Folsom wanted to know which of us was running the city. That is a good question, and the answers could vary, but all I said was that my job was to report to the public just how it was being run and that right was protected by law. Finally, he told them all back in the room and since I was there also, he cautioned them (at 9 p.m.) to be sure their water pipes were protected because it was cold weather. He smiled at me and said that was all he wanted to say. Then when I stated that the only way he could legally talk to them without me was to catch them one at a time later, he acknowledged that "Oh, well some of them will tell you -- they always do." He is absolutely right...in fact, I believe any one of them would. Also to their credit Monday night -- not a one of the councilmen present would return with Folsom to the meeting room until I went in the door.

Attorney General Bill Baxley is making the headlines again, this time with big money transferred from the bank to New Orleans bankers. Also, a federal grand jury is looking into his bank records. Probably when it is all settled, the money is some campaign donations, made early to beat the requirement for reporting just who gave the money. He says this is legal.

We recently reported on the alcoholic beverages found around the city center by the police. Several parents have called us wanting to know the names of the youngsters involved to ascertain if their children were involved. We gave out no names, nor will the police, but parents of all children involved were called to the police station by the officers, and if you were not called... your child was not involved. Also, we hear there was some criticism of the police for releasing the information to us at THE CLIPPER. Well, again, to the complainants... the police know the law and don't try to hide their activities from the press; in fact, often thank all the media for the help and cooperation they get with problems.

Many newspapers, including THE ELBA CLIPPER, take pride in the ability of the sports department to predict the winners of sporting events. However, a four-year-old in Clanton, Washington, can put them all in their place. He predicted ten bowl games this year and got them all right, including the seven-point spread in the Washington-Michigan game. He predicted the Notre Dame-Texas score at 34-5 and it ended up 38-10. The boy won a contest in the local newspaper that lasted all season, and his dad was one of the other contestants. Papa missed eight of the bowl games, about average for the nation.

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ATTENTION

The following items in the "LARGE SIZE SAVINGS"

circular in today's paper are not available at the

Lee Discount store in Elba: COKE and TOBACCO

PRODUCTS

Dorsey Employees

Have Basketball League Going

Dorsey Trailers is now sponsoring a basketball league for its employees. There are four teams: Fab Shop, Chassis Line, Flat Line and Maintenance Department.

The men play at Mulberry Heights on Monday and Thursday nights. This past Monday night saw the Flat Line team beat the Chassis Line, and Fab Shop beat Maintenance Department.

DEATH

JOHNNIE FLETCHER

DRIGGERS

Mr. Johnnie Fletcher Driggers, age 80, of Rt. 1, Elba, passed away January 6, 1978, at the Elba General Hospital.

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Elba Middle School boasts of Superior reading program - see related article on Page - 7.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

by Will Bernhard

Vendor Victim

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Survivors include one brother, Joe W. Bancroft, Sr., Jacksonville, Fla.; three sisters, Mrs. Nell Cooper and Mrs. Mable Capelli, Elba; Mrs. Julia Segal, Dothan.

Mrs. Vinson was the widow of the late Tom Vinson.

Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Eva Lee Wambles Driggers of Rt. 1, Elba; four sons -- Howard E., William L., and Billy D. Driggers, all of Elba; and Harry J. Driggers, Brantley; three daughters -- Mrs. Ovie Flowers, DeFuniak Springs, Florida; Mrs. Elva Campbell, Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. Agnes Marie Tucker, Crestview; one sister, Mrs. Jeany Traylor, Plant City, Fla.; and 21 grandchildren.

MRS. MAYME VINSON

Mrs. Mayme Vinson, a resident of the Elba Nursing

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BY: Chief M. W. Johnston

Charley was 74, retired, living with his wife in an apartment about two blocks from the post office in his city. His wife was a great letter writer and each evening, when she was ready to mail, Charley carried the letters to the post office, usually after dark. He wasn't afraid of the possibility of being attacked on the street, though they lived in the downtown area, where personal crime was high; he always carried an 8" hunting knife strapped to his belt, just in case. He followed this routine for years, with no problems, confident he was safe.

But one night, Charley's luck ran out. Two young hoods stopped him on the street, demanded his wallet, threatening a beating if he didn't comply. Charley whipped out his trusty hunting knife, and in the fight that followed, it was taken away from him. Later he was found lying in his stomach, the knife in his stomach, to the hill.

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Simmons
Just The Way You Are - To
Bob and Peggy



HISTORY ALIVE TODAY

In order for the 9th grade
students to use their physical
abilities as well as their men-
tal abilities, they were assigned

projects in Alabama History.
These projects were to be
replicas of Alabama times prior
to the Civil War (1861-1865).
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houses, dog trot houses, smoke
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ron Mobley, Donna Rugg,
Tammy Reeves, Sandra Mar-
tin, Terri Shiver, Beverly
Ellison, Brenda Rothwell and
Don Simmons from the

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

A group of Zion Chapel
Elementary students recently
participated in the Alabama
Association for Retarded Chil-
dren's head-A-Thon under the
direction of Mr. Randall Bain,
Community Consultant for the



BETA CLUB MAKES CHILDREN HAPPY

The Beta Club recognizes
scholastic aptitude while em-
phasizing character and ser-
vice.
For one of their service
projects this year the Zion
Chapel Beta Club chose to give

a Christmas party for 23
lower elementary children.
Gifts were selected for each
child based on his/her letter
to Santa.
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orations were provided by the

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Lott, David Brown, Steve
Reeder, Gail Richardson, She-
lia Miles, Carolyn McClain,
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Views From The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

The Elba Tigers' losing streak reached 5 games last week when they lost to Enterprise. Despite the lopsided score, Elba didn't play that bad! The Tigers' offense got off to a slow start simply because most of their shots were being blocked by the tall Enterprise players. Elba played pretty good on defense, but there's no way a man 5-10 can guard a man 6-6.

Tonight the Tigers play Troy, who has one of the top teams in the state. The Trojans are big and strong, and will probably win rather easily. The only chance we've got is to turn down the heaters and freeze 'em out!

Last week was one Zion Chapel Coach Mike Lindsey will long remember. On Tuesday night his Rebels upset their record to 9-3 by upsetting Elba, and later that night his wife gave birth to a baby boy. I'll have to admit I wasn't very happy with the outcome of the game, but I am happy for Coach Lindsey and his wife for the addition to the family.

Congratulations, Coach, and you, too Mami!

New Hope Coach Charles Cole ended a 40-year holdout and finally got married during the holidays. Coach Cole's wife is a teacher at Kingston, and I'm sure they'll have a long and happy marriage.

One thing, though, - I wonder if at the wedding they used a preacher or a referee! Oh, well, lots o' luck!

The Church League has started and there are 10 teams competing. The games are played at the gyms at Westside and Bethany, and both churches have nice facilities. If the churches will bring in the results of the games, I'll pass 'em along.

Eufaula Coach Butch Stafford chalked up his 100th victory last week when his team defeated Brookstone 71-49. Stafford has been coaching for six years and his current squad boasts a 12-1 record.

Andalusia lost two games last week as their record dipped to 7-2. The losses came to Troy and Dothan, two of the strongest teams around.

The people in New Brockton are ready to start packing for their trip to the state tournament! The Gamecocks disposed of area rival Red Level 77-52 last week, and appear unstoppable in Class A.

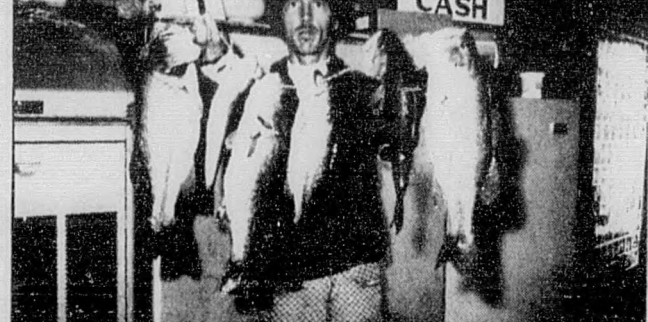
Go, Gamecocks!

Elba 7th Graders Edge Coppinville 21-19

The Elba 7th grade basketball team claimed its first win of the season last week when it defeated Coppinville 21-19 in Elba.

The win upped Elba's chart to 1-2, while the loss left Coppinville with a 7-2 record. The Elba team came out in a full court press and held their opponents scoreless in the opening stanza to grab a 5-0 lead. Coppinville finally scored midway through the second quarter, but at the half, Elba owned a 9-3 advantage.

Elba began to get in foul trouble in the third period, and Coppinville rallied to tie the score at 19-19 after three



quarters of play. The visitors from Enterprise moved into a 19-16 lead with only 38 seconds left in the game, but the Elba press caused two quick turnovers and the Baby Tigers regained the lead at 20-19. Elba added a free-throw with 64 seconds left to make the final score Elba 21-Coppinville 19.

Scoring for Elba were Stanley Barnes, 10 points, Randy Miller 5, Willie Paul Caldwell 5, and Johnny Maddox 1.

The Elba defense was led by Vic Bludsworth, Donnie Morris, John Meschum and Willie Paul Caldwell.

Benefit Game Slated Tonight At Zion Chapel

The Zion Chapel Quarter-back Club basketball will take on the WBAM All Americans tonight at 7 p.m. in the Zion Chapel High School gym. The game is an effort to raise money for new lights at the Zion Chapel football field. The game will feature such Zion Chapel personalities as:

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Zion Chapel Rebels Brace For Big Week Of Basketball

The basketball season at Zion Chapel High School has been rolling along smoothly as the Rebels have compiled an excellent 10-3 record. However, the Rebels must battle two of the top Class A teams in South Alabama next week, and Coach Mike Lindsey reports, "We'll have to play mighty good ball to win."

Providing competition for the Rebels next week will be the Wicksburg Panthers (12-1) and the New Brockton Gamecocks (12-0). Wicksburg, led by hot shooting Tony Johnson, lost to Zion Chapel early in the season, but turned the tables on the Rebels in a recent tournament. Johnson, a 6-0 junior, averaged over 30 points a game last season, and is scoring at a 24-point clip this season. The Panthers have all five starters back from last year's squad, and their matchup with the Rebels should be a real shoot-out!

New Brockton, considered

Former Elba Resident Receives Award

Jack Hodge, who is now operating out of the Jack Hodge Stables located in Alliance, Ohio, was named Trainer of the Year by the Buckeye Walking Horse Association.

Hodge and his stock have shown successfully over the past two years in states like Kentucky, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia and others.

In training now are a full string of horses, including competitors from the two-year-old, three-year-old, four-year-old, amateur, juvenile and aged divisions.

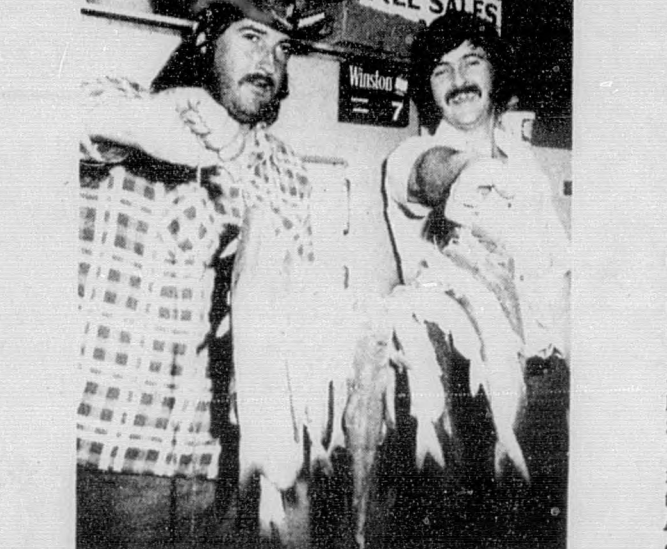
Hodge placed fourth in the state competition in Columbus, Ohio, riding in the juvenile, 11 years and under, competition.

Visitors are always wel-
come, and there are always
horses for sale.



Jerry Parker holds a string-
er filled with 6 bass that he
caught Saturday at the Coffee
County Lake.

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Robert Hudson and Harold Hud-
son caught these catfish in the
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Elba's Larry Ware (34) lays in a two-pointer over the out-
stretched arm of Zion Chapel's Willie Berry (42). Aiding in
the Rebel defense is Steve Downing (40). Zion Chapel won the
game 61-55.

High Scoring Trojans Invade Elba Tonight

The Elba Tigers hope to end a 5-game losing streak tonight (Thursday) when they host the Troy Trojans in a 7:15 game at the Elba gym.

The Trojans have notched a win since December 2, and the Tigers will have to pull a "shocking upset" to win over Troy.

Troy boasts a 10-2 record with wins coming over such powerful teams as Dothan, Andalusia and St. Jude. The Trojans have the biggest team in the area, having five players at least 6-7. Leading the Troy attack is All-State Jerry Richards, a 6-5 forward averaging 18 points and 16 rebounds a game.

Center Donald Fayson, also 6-5, is scoring at a 17-point clip and combines with Richards to give Troy an awesome front line.

If the Trojans are to pull an upset, they must get outstanding play from James Smith and Russ Wood. Smith is the Tigers' top rebounder, but stands only 6-3, and the junior center must have his best game if the Trojans are to have a chance.

Elba Police Win Again!

Albert Tyson poured in 62 points last Wednesday night to lead the Elba Police department to a 92-81 victory over the Enterprise Police.

The win gives the Elba Police a 2-0 record.

Enterprise jumped into an early lead in the game, but Elba came roaring back and owned a 23-19 lead after one quarter of play.

Enterprise surged into a 6-point lead midway through the second period only to see Elba again rally and take a 46-42 halftime lead. At the half, Albert Tyson had scored 33 of his team's 45 points.

The score remained close in the third period with neither team being able to pull away. After three quarters Elba owned a 68-65 lead.

Elba came out red hot in the final stanza and pulled into a 17-point lead. The Elba Police went into a stall, during the final 5 minutes and held on to claim the win.

Scoring for Elba were Albert Tyson 62, Buddy King 8, Frankie Christian 8, Max Rayborn 6, Billy Christian 4, Jim Phillips 2, and Rachel Moore 2.

Tigers No Match For Enterprise, Fall 86-50

The Elba Tigers saw their record dip to 2-10 last Friday night when they fell to the powerful Enterprise Wildcats 86-50 in Elba.

The Wildcats now boast a 9-3 chart. Enterprise, led by 6-7 Robert Blackmon and 6-6 Rob Thompson, took charge early in the opening stanza and ran away to a 16-7 lead. The second quarter was totally dominated by the taller Cats, as Enterprise grabbed a 30-15 lead with 2:00 left in the half. At halftime the Tigers trailed 38-15.

Elba refused to quit in the third period and rallied to cut Enterprise's lead to 44-32 midway through the stanza. However, Enterprise took charge late in the quarter and opened a 63-35 advantage with only one quarter left to play. Both coaches emptied their benches in the final stanza as Enterprise claimed the lopsided 86-50 win.

Elba was led in the game by James Smith, who scored

18 points and grabbed 13 re-
bounds. Larry Phillips added 9 points and pulled down 10 rebounds.

E'prise 16 22 25 21-86
Elba 7 8 20 15-50

E'PRISE (60): Blackmon 14, Poyer 4, Averett 6, Craig 4, Whitehurst 3, Holmes 10, Ammons 6, Presley 5, Vick-ers 1, Shipman 3, Cone 4, Thompson 12, Youngblood 4, McQueen 8.

ELBA (50): Phillips 9, Ware 9, Smith 18, Martin 4, Wood 15.

E'prise 15 18 20 12-65
Elba 4 6 8 6-22

E'PRISE (65): Horley 8, Williams 6, Maddox 4, Lolley 2, Vickers 8, Valerie 3, Ingram 7, Smith 12, Fuentes 5, Gibson 5, Chapman 2, Windham 4.

ELBA (22): King 4, Williams 6, Coleman 6, Ware 2, Johnson 2, Flowers 2.

Junior Tigers Fall To Andalusia 53-28

The Elba Junior High Tigers started the new year off on a losing note last week when they lost to Andalusia 53-28 in Elba.

Andalusia jumped out to a quick 10-0 lead against Elba, and pulled away to lead 30-12 at the half. The slow starting Tigers failed to get on track in the third quarter and fell behind 48-16 with only one stanza left to play. Elba finally began to play like they

are capable of doing late in the game, but only managed to close the final gap to 53-28.

ELBA 4 8 4 12-28
ANDY 17 13 18 5-53

ELBA (28): Reed 6, D. Horstead 10, Brown 4, T. Horstead 4, Hardwick 4, ANDALUSIA (53): Smith 2, Thomas 9, Shakespeare 19, Blake 5, Gantt 13, Jackson 2, Rawls 3.

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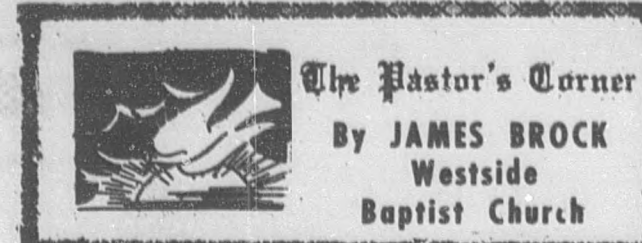
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The Pastor's Corner
By JAMES BROCK
Westside Baptist Church

Close to the pulse of daily life in America is the desire to find and make secure some kind of happiness. Thus, Americans spend anxious moments over the stability of the Social Security system because to them, in some "vicious" way, this represents security for the future and security is synonymous with happiness. Countless are the human droplets who are heard to say, "The question of happiness seems to hinge on what you mean by happiness. Is happiness material prosperity? Political power? Social prominence? A winning personality? What is happiness? Perhaps the problem partially arises out of a lack of understanding of the human personality. Man is not made so much to achieve happiness as to discover happiness in some kind of productive and meaningful life. Scholars have often pointed out that two key passages in the Bible deal with the subject of happiness. In the Old Testament, Exodus 20, God revealed the way to success and happiness in what we commonly call the Ten Commandments. Seen properly, these two laws are not so much a means of keeping man in line as they are stepping stones toward individual and corporate productivity. Commandments one through four reveal that man can only find the true secret of happiness in first finding a right relationship with God. Commandments five through ten illustrate that man's further progress in successful living hinges upon his relationship to his fellow creatures. Thus, right relationship to the creator and fellow-creatures is the secret, if this it might be called, of happiness. Even more inclusive are the words of Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount as recorded in Matthew 5-7. Matthew 5:1-12, contains the most remarkable list of the attributes of happiness ever devised. Man achieves happiness by giving



Mountain Moments
K. Maynard Head

TOMORROW

Frequent articles in newspapers and magazines discuss the quality of contemporary education and others question the character of today's young person.

I have a good opportunity to observe many students because, in addition to my duties at Clear Creek Baptist School, I teach a speech course at Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tenn. One of my students there recently delivered a speech entitled "Tomorrow" and included a poem by an anonymous author. I hope you enjoy reading it.

"TOMORROW He was going to be all that a mortal could be - Tomorrow No one should be kinder nor braver than he - Tomorrow, A friend who was troubled and weary he knew Who'd be glad of a lift and who needed it, too; On him he would call and see what he could do - Tomorrow -

CARD OF THANKS

Loyd and I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to our many, many friends and relatives for the many beautiful flowers and cards sent, calls made, the meals that were prepared, and the many love gifts that were given as during Loyd's lengthy stay in the hospital. But, most of all, for the many, many prayers that were offered in our behalf. We know that prayer is the reason for the great progress made in the world of Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount as recorded in Matthew 5-7. Matthew 5:1-12, contains the most remarkable list of the attributes of happiness ever devised. Man achieves happiness by giving

himself totally to causes and people that are worthwhile and helpful. Ease and pleasure are not the answers to man's deep inner longing to find rest with himself, his world and his God. Jesus emphasized the dimension of life that adds to man's spiritual status, moral stamina, and intellectual alertness. In such a life the individual achieves personal contentment, and individuals grouped together make a contented society. Perhaps people ought to be more interested in how to do the welfare of others than with finding happiness. When men are able to give themselves in a selfless way to achieve good for those who cannot help themselves, then happiness is an essential by-product. . . . could it be that that is the way to find happiness? . . . giving instead of being served? Jesus indicated that it was His desire to give himself away for others. His followers should also find their happiness in giving themselves away. Perhaps you have tried everything to find happiness, yet you give this formula a chance?



Ladies Of Hebrom Have WMU Meeting

The Ladies of Hebrom Baptist Church held their January 1978 WMU meeting Monday night, January 9, at 7 o'clock. The subject, "North Central Missions - Winged Ambassadors for Missions Advancement," was taken from the January 1978 issue of Royal Service magazine.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Vivian Green. The program, "North Central Calling," was led by program chairman, Mrs. J. C. Paul. After a short business meeting and reading of the minutes by Secretary Mae Lowery, the following members were dismissed by a prayer from Mrs. Merle Vernon Napper: Mrs. Merle Paul, Mrs. Vivian Green, Mrs. E. D. Green, Mrs. Mae Lowery, Mrs. Eloise Barr, Mrs. Peggy C. Lowery, Cathy McWaters of the Hebrom Ateen Girls group, a visitor.

Card Of Thanks— We want to express our thanks to each person for the prayers, thoughts, deeds and other expressions of love and sympathy shown to us during the illness and loss of our loved one. May God bless each of you.

O Lord Our Lord How excellent is thy name in all the earth!

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Orange juice
Milk
LUNCH
Spaghetti with meat sauce
Green salad
English peas
Chocolate cake
Bread - milk

TUESDAY
BREAKFAST
Baron
Grits
Eggs
Milk
LUNCH
Turkey Sandwich
Baked beans
Potato chips
Orange halves
Peanut butter & cornflake cookie

WEDNESDAY
BREAKFAST
Cereal - raisins
Bananas
Milk
LUNCH
Baked Ham
Green beans
Creamed potatoes
Pear salad
Cookie
Bread - Milk

THURSDAY
BREAKFAST
Biscuit - jelly
Sausage
Eggs
Orange Juice
Milk
LUNCH
Vegetable Beef soup
Peanut butter-jelly sandwich
Tangerine
Cupcake
Milk

FRIDAY
BREAKFAST
Pop tarts
Juice
Milk
LUNCH
Vegetable Beef soup
Peanut butter-jelly sandwich
Tangerine
Cupcake
Milk

MONDAY
BREAKFAST
Cinnamon toast
Orange juice
Milk
LUNCH
Dry peas
Cabbage slaw
Bologna cup
Cobbler pies
Milk, cornbread

TUESDAY
BREAKFAST
Eggs
Toast w/jelly - Juice
Milk
LUNCH
Ravioli
Buttered salad
Rolled cookies
Milk & bread

WEDNESDAY
BREAKFAST
Cereal
Milk
LUNCH
Fried chicken
Rice & gravy
Green beans
Fruited jelly
Buttered rolls
Milk

THURSDAY
BREAKFAST
Toast w/jelly
Orange juice
Milk
LUNCH
Spaghetti w/meat sauce
English peas & carrots
1/2 Peanut butter & jelly sandwich
Tangerine
Bread, milk

FRIDAY
BREAKFAST
Pop tarts
Juice
Milk
LUNCH
Pizza
Carrot strips
Orange juice
Peas
Milk
Bread slice

MONDAY
BREAKFAST
Pancakes with syrup
Sausage
Orange juice
Milk
LUNCH
Spaghetti with meat sauce
Green salad
English peas
Chocolate cake
Bread - milk

TUESDAY
BREAKFAST
Baron
Grits
Eggs
Milk
LUNCH
Turkey Sandwich
Baked beans
Potato chips
Orange halves
Peanut butter & cornflake cookie

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Cereal - raisins
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Milk
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Baked Ham
Green beans
Creamed potatoes
Pear salad
Cookie
Bread - Milk

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Biscuit - jelly
Sausage
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Orange Juice
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LUNCH
Vegetable Beef soup
Peanut butter-jelly sandwich
Tangerine
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MONDAY
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TUESDAY
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Rolled cookies
Milk & bread

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Fried chicken
Rice & gravy
Green beans
Fruited jelly
Buttered rolls
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ESTATE OF CHARLES ESTER HUDSON Deceased. PROBATE COURT - ELBA DIVISION

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 22nd day of November 1977, by the Hon James L. Sawyer, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ Bonnie M. Hudson
1-5-78c

LEGAL NOTICE
ESTATE OF MARVIN T. MCCOLLOUGH, DECEASED
Edna Sue Stinson, Administratrix, of the Estate of Marvin T. McCollough, Deceased, is offering for sale One (1) 1968 First Lady, mobile home, 12 feet by 48 feet.

Said mobile home will be sold at a public sale to be held at the site of the mobile home, Smith Avenue, Elba, Alabama, at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 1978.

Said Edna Sue Stinson hereby reserves the right to refuse all bids.

EDNA SUE STINSON, Administratrix
1-12-78c

PUBLIC NOTICE
In compliance with regulations of the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the City of Elba has filed with that agency, a Grantee Performance Report, on the City's Community Development Block Grant Program for fiscal years 1975, 1976, 1977.

The report provides a record of community development funds expended, detailed progress made in achieving the

/s/ JIM ELLIS
Clerk of District Court

Robert E. Cannon
415 West Davis Street
Elba, Alabama 36623
Attorney for General Motors Acceptance Corporation
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An Elba area resident and an Elba native were among Alabama Education Association members at Lurline B. Wallace State Junior College, which helped the AEA local reach its fund-raising goal for A-Vote, the political arm of the association.

Dean of Students Bryant Steele, far left, a resident of Elba, and a member of the AEA State Board of Directors. Also pictured are association vice-president James Pat Smith, second from the left, and association president Marilyn C. Beck, second from right, a native of Elba, serves on the AEA State Board of Directors. The LBA association was formed in 1976. The number of members has grown to about 40 local associations in the state honored at a recent AEA meeting in Mobile for reaching their goal.

My eyes feasted on a mouth-watering sight a few days ago in the Kinston community. I stopped by Lelon Weeks' home to meet with a group on orchard management. After the meeting, Grace Weeks showed me a fairly new smoke house with stuffed sausage, ham and sides being smoked.

Everything smelled so good I stepped inside the building to get the full benefit of that mouth-watering aroma. That was just about the most beautiful sight I have seen in years. Seeing and smelling that meat smoking was very satisfying experience.

They gave me a pound or two of the stuffed, smoked sausage. For the last two or three mornings, we have been eating sausage. The smell of this sausage cooking is almost beyond description.

We don't smoke and cure meat much on the farm any more. It is becoming a lost art. As farmers become busier, they may be missing

some of the better experiences.

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estate planning for farmers with emphasis on the features of the Tax Reform Act of 1976, and (2) an analysis of business organizations for farmers including partnerships, trusts, and corporations.

THOUGHTS
Dr. V. D. McCreary, retired director of the Diagnostic Lab at Elba, sent me a Will Rogers clipping dated May 26, 1928. Will Rogers said, "The trouble with us farmers is -- so everybody says -- we buy on a protected market and sell on an open market. What's going to be done about it? Because the minute there is any bill to raise the price of what you eat, the people know it is making them pay more for it, so they are again it. And there is more people eating than there is raising."

When Will Rogers said that in 1928, there were a lot more farmers than at the present time. The number of farmers declines each year in the United States. They are an extremely vital part of America's strength. However, their numbers are becoming lower. This may be the reason why many national elected officials are not overly concerned about helping the farmers.

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HEALTH TIP
From the American Medical Association
American Medical Association Tells How To Treat Frostbite

FROSTBITE
Each body watches the other's face for signs of frostbite.

First aid possibilities are limited. Thawing of the tissue as soon as possible is the first consideration. This can be accomplished by getting indoors into a warm room. Treat the frozen part gently and do not rub or massage it. The old technique of rubbing snow or ice water on the frozen spot does more harm than good by delaying thawing.

Medical treatment is needed promptly. Control of the severe pain is required, and antibiotics and antiseptics may be needed if the skin is broken. Often the frozen skin will eventually slough off.

The American Medical Association points out that frostbite can be very painful, can result in amputations and can leave the victim hypersensitive to cold for the rest of his or her life. In some ways, the degree of frostbite is similar to a burn. Injuries to both deep and shallow tissue are comparable. First degree frostbite, like sunburn, is an injury to surface skin. It is likely to attack ears, toes, fingers, cheeks or nose. Second degree frostbite produces blisters as in second degree burns. In third degree frostbite, the damage is deep and much of the frozen part may be lost.

Prevention is the best protection. This means being properly dressed in warm clothing, waterproof shoes and heavy dry socks, with good covering for head and ears. Keep clothing dry from both outside moisture and perspiration, and avoid tight clothing or garters that may restrict circulation.

Motorists traveling across country in subfreezing weather are advised to have heavy clothing and shoes in the car, in the event of a breakdown and a necessary hike for help. If your auto is stalled in snow or ice some distance from help, it may be safer to stay in the car than to walk a long distance in extreme cold in light clothing.

The first signs of frostbite are "pins and needles," prickly feeling, and then numbness. The affected part will turn white or grey and later red. Groups such as the military often use the body system outdoors in severe weather.

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Highlights From The Holiday Season In Elba



The Recreation Center was a busy place as volunteers passed out gifts donated to Operation Santa Claus.



Youngsters are proud of bikes received in Operation Santa Claus.



Mr. W. L. Brunson receives a 30-year service pin from Danny Johnson at National Security Christmas party.



Brownie Troop 441 sang Christmas carols at the Nursing Home and presented gifts to the residents.



National Guard families and friends go down chow line.



John and Gail White are joined in holiday celebration by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Farmer.



Santa chats with boy about what to bring for Christmas.



Intermediate Band performed at PTO Spaghetti Supper in December.



Guests at a December Rotary Club meeting were: Lewey Stephens, Kenneth Strong, --- Guest speaker, Adj. General Henry Gray III of National Guard, Dwayne Jones and Club president William Martin.



Employees and husbands of employees take part in all-male beauty contest at National Security party.



Mrs. Roy Parrish takes time out to baby sit at National Guard get-together.



Coffee County School System Continues Child Find

Brenda is a 14-year-old girl who had never attended school until two years ago. She was born with spina bifida. She was confined to a wheel chair and could not read or write. Today, however, as a result of "Child-Find," Brenda not only can read and write, but she can add, subtract, divide, and multiply.

"Child-Find" is a continuing program conducted by all school systems throughout the state to locate severely handicapped children (ages 3-21) who are not presently receiving educational services. Referrals will be accepted from anyone regarding a child who may need special help. Persons living in the Coffee County school district should contact Mrs. June Brown at 897-2492.

Referral can also be made through the principal of any county school. Persons liv-

Youth For Conservation Jobs

State Youth Conservation Corps Recruiter Bill Martin announced last week that applications for the summer Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) program are available at the local Alabama State Employment Office or by writing State YCC Recruiter, U. S. Forest Service, P. O. Box 40, Montgomery, AL 36101. All applications must be returned to the local office of Alabama State Employment Service by March 15 to be considered for this summer's program.

The Youth Conservation Corps is a summer program of work for boys and girls, ages 15 through 18 years. Applicants from all economic and racial groups are eligible. The camps will start in early June and end in early August. There will be 7-day residential camps at Ft. McClellan, Talladega and Montealegre; 5-day residential camps (on weekends) at Decatur and Conoverville; non-residential camps in the cities of Marion, Opelika and Tuskegee, counties of Colbert, Franklin, Lauderdale, Marion, Russell and Wilcox.

Area Students Make Dean's List At Alabama

Students from this area on the Dean's List at the University of Alabama for the Fall semester are as follows:

Kathy S. Bowers, Walter Joseph Crook, Sam B. Deane, Gavin F. Ellis, Mark W. Kelley, Lisa D. Turner, Elba; Anthony K. Towles, Regina Towles, Jack Mark Parker, New Brockton; Elizabeth L. Hollis, Brantley, and Ivan D. Jackson, Glenwood.

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FOR SALE: 1977 Pontiac Lemona. 2-door sports car. Real nice. 11,000 miles. \$4195. Call JOHNNY MACK, at 493-7005 or 498-6081. 12-29-tfc

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For Sale or Rent 12x 52 mobile home. Near Danley Crossroads. Located on 1 acre lot. 897-6825 or 897-6536. 1-5-TFC.

FARM FOR SALE: Just West of New Hope, 100 acres more or less with 25 acres peanut allotment. Totally fenced. All open land, in pasture now, with water. Also four-bedroom brick home with approximately 2000 sq. ft. living area, commercial building, two tenant houses, three barns. Priced to sell. Three miles east of 167 toward New Hope. Call BOLAND REAL ESTATE, 347-4517 or 347-7516 or night 347-1293. 4-28-tfc

FOR SALE: 1978 Ranchero GT Automatic Transmission. power steering, power brakes, 400 cu. in. 3450 and take up payments. 897-5092. 1-12-tfc

HOUSE FOR RENT: On Smith Avenue. See or call ROLAND POWELL, 897-6864. 1-12-tfc

FOR SALE: Hay - Coastal Bermuda - Square bales or round. 897-6864. ROLAND POWELL. 1-12-tfc

FOR SALE: 1972 Camaro, or trade for - use trailer. JACK VAUGHAN HARDWARE - S. CO. RT - Square, Elba. 1-5-2TC.

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BANKRUPTCY PURCHASE: Several openings available. ALICE QUEEN, 897-5522, 246 Morrow Village. For working mothers. 1-12-3tc

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FOR SALE: Round or square bales, peanut or Coastal Bermuda hay. Contact BURN BOWERS, Rt. 5, Elba. 897-6332. 1-12-3tc

LPN's WANTED: Excellent starting salary. Fringe benefits. Need 2 immediately. Call 335-6528 in Laverne. 12-22-tfc

QUALITY REPAIR SERVICE: Owned and operated by B. Crawford and CECIL Hall will be open in their new location on W. Simmons Street next to Miracle Fair, effective Friday, December 30. This is where you'll find all your refrigeration, air conditioning, plumbing and electrical, and home appliance service needs. Call 897-5212. 12-29-tfc

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Horseshoe Bend National Military Park, Choctaw National Wildlife Refuge, Eufaula National Wildlife Refuge, Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge, Southeast Fish Culture Laboratory, and the Conecuh Bandhead and Tuskegee National Forests. YCC is designed as a work and conservation study program of 8 weeks duration. The enrollees are paid minimum wages for the work portion of the program. The work consists of such projects as trail building, roadside cleanup, recreation area maintenance and improvement, tree planting, road bank seeding, wildlife habitat improvement, and other conservation projects on public lands.

The YCC began as a pilot program in 1970. It has since become a permanent program and has steadily grown in size and popularity. The program's main purposes are to provide gainful summer employment for the nation's youth, complete conservation type work projects and develop a reserve of environmentally trained young citizens.

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80 acres of land with 3-bedroom brick house. 1 full bath and 1/2 bath. Gas heat and electric cooling. 2 deep wells, old house with pecan trees, will sell 75 acres land without brick house. Located on Rt. 1, Elba.

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